Appl. No. 09/992,348 Amt. dated February 21, 2007

Reply to Office action of Jan. 22, 2007

REMARKS

This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on January

22, 2007. Prior to entry of this Amendment, claims 1-64 were pending. After entry of this paper

claims 1-34 and 62 will be pending with claims 35-61 and 63-64 cancelled.

In the Restriction Requirement, the Examiner alleges four distinct inventions:

I. Claims 1-34 are drawn to "obtaining an estimated financial outcome for a pool of

loans";

Claims 35-52 are drawn to "determining a probability of loss for a loan";

III. Claims 53-58 are drawn to "generating a loss list for a set of loans"; and

IV. Claims 59-64 are drawn to "credit risk managing a loan pool having at least one

loan for a property".

The Examiner requires restriction to one of the aforementioned inventions under 35

U.S.C. § 1.21. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-

34 and claim 62 without traverse. Accordingly, claims 35-61 and 63-64 are hereby cancelled.

The Applicant believes no fees or petitions are due with this filing. However, should any such fees or petitions be required, please consider this a request therefor and authorization to

charge Deposit Account No. 04-1415 as necessary.

If the Examiner should require any additional information or amendment, please contact

the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted.

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